

COURT PROCEEDINGS

Business Transacted the First Week of the

SEPTEMBER SESSIONS.

H. W. Lee Appointed Court Clerk and A. L. Nyman Tiptaff—Road and Bridge Views—Slaves Sentenced.

Court convened on Monday, September 4, at 1:30 p. m. Present: Hon. J. H. Longenecker, president judge; Hon. Isaiah Cooley and Hon. Eli Eichelberger, associate judges.

Grand jury called; 23 answered. John James was excused as a juror. A. C. Mullin was appointed foreman of the grand jury.

Henry W. Lee was appointed court clerk and A. L. Nyman tiptaff.

The constables were called, sworn, and presented their returns.

Estate of Samuel Harvey, appointment of auditor continued.

Estate of A. B. Zook, order of sale continued.

Petition of Ross Mortimore, minor child of James Mortimore and wife of Emma E. Mowry, for guardianship and he selected his mother, Mrs. Margaret Mortimore. Bond in \$500, to be approved by the clerk.

Estate of Godfrey Mench, auditor's report filed, exceptions withdrawn.

Estate of Samuel Whysong, return of commissioners appointed to appraise real estate confirmed and rule on heirs granted.

Estate of N. C. Evans, widow's inventory filed and confirmed nisi.

Estate of N. C. Evans, petition of administrator for an order to sell real estate to pay debts, to sell at private sale. Sale confirmed. The administrator was authorized to sell other properties of the deceased for the payment of debts. Terms cash. Bond in \$2,000 approved.

Estate of Daniel Barnett, widow's inventory confirmed nisi.

Estate of Jacob Damerer, two apraisements filed—one of real estate and one of personal property—both confirmed nisi.

Estate of Harvey Burket, petition of executor for an order to mortgage real estate granted, not to exceed \$5,000.

Estate of Henry Kerr, rule on heirs continued, returned to next term.

Petition of Harry Damerer, over 14 years of age, for a guardian granted and he selected George Damerer. Bond in \$500.

Estate of Jacob Damerer, return to court of inquisition filed, rule waived, heirs called and properties Nos. 2 and 3 were decreed to John V. Damerer.

Petition of Jonas C. Miller, executor of Samuel Damerer, to have trustee appointed for funds for Dubs burying ground at Hurst Cabin, Pa., and leave granted to repair graveyard and put up tombstones. Mr. Kelker to expend funds according to will. Bond in \$100.

Estate of Daniel Snyder, widow's inventory confirmed nisi.

Estate of Henry Wigfield, widow's inventory confirmed nisi.

Petition of Wm. S. and Jessie S. Guyer, minor children of Elizabeth Guyer, for appointment of guardian. John S. Guyer was selected and the court appointed him. Bond in \$200.

Petition of Ade P. Weller for a guardian granted and Bernard Fletcher was appointed. Bond in \$2,000.

In No. 450, September term, 1890, Cuppett vs. Cuppett, petition to open, judge, etc., rule at bar returnable at argument court, Attorney Colvin appearing.

Estate of Eliza McElish, widow's inventory confirmed nisi.

Estate of John Dasher, widow's inventory confirmed nisi.

Estate of Barton Mearkle, return of sale confirmed nisi.

Estate of Mary A. Wilson, return of sale confirmed nisi.

In re-application of Samuel Werning to have his farm attached to New Enterprise school district, confirmed nisi.

Estate of Emmanuel Smith, petition for auditor. J. C. Russell, Esq., appointed.

Estate of J. W. Mench, widow's inventory confirmed nisi.

Estate of Isaac Ling, order of sale continued.

Assigned estate of J. S. Biddle, order of sale continued.

Commonwealth vs. Michael Crouse: Charge, aggravated assault and battery. Grand jury returns not a true bill and the prosecutrix, Eliza E. Whysong was selected and appointed. Bond in \$1,000, to be approved.

Petition of Susan Mench for an order to sell real estate. Bond in \$4,000.

Estate of Daniel Hollingshead, return of sale confirmed as to parts sold and sale continued as to main farm.

Petition of Fannie Mench for guardian granted and Edward Feight appointed. Bond in \$1,000, to be approved.

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BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

Interesting Information for Those Who Want to Buy.

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Will Do Well to Consult This Column If They Wish to Save Money and Procure the Best Bargains.

Seed wheat of three different varieties for sale by S. S. Diefel, of Bedford township. P. O. address, Bedford.

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Bedford Classical School.

Given instruction in Latin, Greek, German, English, Higher Mathematics, Natural Sciences; also Drawing and Crayoning. Students enter Freshman class of Colleges on certificate. Open to boys and girls. Terms reasonable. Fall term opens September 20, 1894.

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C. V. SARTH, A. M., Principal.

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JOHN G. HARTLEY & CO., BANKERS.

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Individual liability. Capital and real estate unencumbered, \$300,000.00.

Accounts of merchants, farmers and others solicited. Pay interest on time deposits and receive deposits payable on demand.

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We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 25-cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

Dec 23, 1894.

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GAZETTE PUBLISHING CO.

Bedford, Pa.

Sale Register.

All persons having sale bills printed at this office get a free notice in the sale register. This is worth several times the price of the bills.

On the premises, Friday, September 22, at 1 p. m. Jacob W. Snyder and David G. Snyder, executors of Jacob U. Snyder, deceased, will sell a valuable farm in Taylor township, Blair county, containing 155 acres, having thereto erected a two-story weatherboarded dwelling house, large bank barn, etc. Never failing water and a large apple orchard on the premises. This is one of the most desirable farms in Blair county.

At Rainsburg on Saturday, September 23, at 1 p. m. H. F. Shoemaker, administrator of William A. Ressler, late of Rainsburg, deceased, will sell a lot of carpet, stoves, barrels, tables, lard, fruit jars, dishes, plows, Jersey cow, Estey organ and many other articles.

PENSION STATISTICS.

Pennsylvanians Last Year Drew \$12,370,755 From the Treasury.

The annual report of the commissioner of pensions, which was made public August 31, shows that there are 104,681 pensioners residing in Pennsylvania and that they drew \$12,470,755 from the treasury last year.

New Jersey has 20,824 pensioners within her borders, to whom was paid \$2,494,626. Delaware contains 2,743 pensioners and they drew \$40,015 last year.

The roll of the Philadelphia pension agency contained the names of 637,716 pensioners at the date of the report, as against 634,442 last year, a gain of 274.

The Pittsburgh agency carries 49,510 names, as against 49,384 last year, a gain of 116.

Speaking of the payment of pensions to volunteers of the war with Spain, Commissioner Evans says: "I find the states of Pennsylvania and New York, each having two agencies for the payment of pensions, I have directed that all pensioners on account of services in this war residing in Pennsylvania be paid by the Philadelphia agency, and those residing in the state of New York at the New York city agency, for the reason that some time in the future the agencies will be consolidated, and payments in each of those states will then be made by one agency."

There were added to the pension roll 40,091 names and 43,188 were dropped, 34,454 of these by reason of death.

There were expended for pensions \$135,355,032.

The annual value of the entire pension roll amounts to \$31,617,961, being \$49,496 more than it ever was, due to the higher average annual value of pensions. The roll is made up of 735,431 surviving soldiers, 237,415 widows and dependents and relatives and 653 nurses. The total number of original applications filed during the year, including those on account of the war with Spain, was 48,765.

Schubelburg.

SEPTEMBER 3.—The postoffice has been removed into the new store building of A. B. Egolf and J. E. Lukens has charge of it.

Rev. and Mrs. G. C. Gumbert stopped on Thursday evening with Rev. and Mrs. D. G. Hartwick on their way back from Apollo to Fort London.

Prof. A. B. Van Ormer will leave to-morrow for Gettysburg, to resume there his studies in the Lutheran Theological seminary.

Bishop Simpson of Mt. Pleasant, made an address on "Christian Citizenship" in front of the postoffice on Main street on Thursday evening of last week.

The school board of this place met and elected Prof. Brindle, of Franklin county, to the principality of our schools, in place of Prof. Carney, our resigning. Miss Mame Burns has also resigned her position as primary teacher and no one has yet been chosen to fill this vacancy.

Brother Stern, the famous Bible reader, arrived on Friday and lectured on the Sunday school lesson on Saturday evening, preached morning and evening on the Lord's Day and will have a Bible reading on Saturday evening. On next Lord's Day morning he will preach in the Presbyterian church at 10:30 a. m., and in the Methodist Episcopal church at 7:30 p. m. Your service has listened to him two evenings and can testify that he is well worth hearing.

GIDEON.

COURT PROCEEDINGS.

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the other two-thirds of the costs.

Commonwealth vs. Daniel Webster: Charge, carrying concealed weapons and pointing firearms. The grand jury returns a true bill. Jury called and returned that it finds the defendant guilty in manner and form in which he stands indicted.

Commonwealth vs. Aaron Stayer, David Houser and Russell Sparks: Charge, assault and battery. The grand jury returned a true bill. Defendants pleaded not guilty; jury called and returned that it finds the defendants not guilty and that the costs be divided as follows: Aaron Stayer to pay one-half of the costs and David Houser and Russell Sparks the sum of \$5 each and that Anthony S. Smith, the prosecutor, pay the balance of the costs.

Commonwealth vs. Laura Evans: Charge, larceny. The grand jury returned not a true bill.

Commonwealth vs. William Chey: Charge, absconding from board bill. Grand jury returned not a true bill and William Holman, the prosecutor, to pay the costs. On motion of the district attorney, process awarded for arrest of William C. Holman.

Commonwealth vs. Ross Carbrough and others: Charge, disposing of goods with intent to defraud. Grand jury returns not a true bill and that the county pay the costs.

Commonwealth vs. George M. Winter: Charge, selling liquor without a license. Grand jury returns a true bill.

Commonwealth vs. George Davis: Charge, selling liquor without a license. Grand jury returns a true bill. The defendant pleads not guilty. A jury called and sworn, but had not returned the verdict at the time we went to press.

Commonwealth vs. John Welsh: Charge, surety of the peace. After hearing, John Welsh was ordered to pay his own costs and one-half of the docket costs and Mary Oyler, the prosecutor, pay his own costs and one-half of the docket costs.

Commonwealth vs. Daniel Webster: Charge, larceny. Grand jury returns a true bill. Defendant pleads not guilty. A jury called and returned that it finds the defendant, Daniel Webster, guilty in manner and form as he stands indicted.

CIVIL CASES.

The following civil cases which were advertised for the second week of court have been disposed of as follows:

The Six Miles Run Coal company vs. Isaac Young, summons in trespass, cont.

Catharine Harvey vs. James Harvey, administrator of Samuel Harvey, deceased, summons in assumpsit, dis-

posed.

Emmanuel Heitzel vs. Bedford Handel and Hardwood company, appeal settled.

The King Richardson Publishing company vs. David T. Lutz, appealed, settled.

J. N. Robinson vs. Isaac Pierson, appealed, settled.

Mervin McKey vs. Thomas Burley, summons in trespass, cont.

James S. Bower vs. West St. Clair township, summons in an action of trespass, settled.

School district of Liberty township vs. James Rhodes, appeal, continued.

Sixth ANNUAL SESSION

of the Bedford County Christian Endeavor Union.

The sixth annual session of the Bedford County Christian Endeavor Union will be held in the Orthodox church, Fishertown, Pa., Wednesday and Thursday, September 13 and 14. The programme follows:

FIRST SESSION, Wednesday, from 3 to 4:30 P. M.

Song and prayer service.

Address of welcome.....Prof. G. S. Miller.

Response.....M. H. Kramer.

General discussion.

Rev. C. A. Adams.

"How to Bend Duties."

Dr. Taylor Ealy.

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Rev. W. A. Lepley.

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